

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1142

By Camper

A RESOLUTION remembering the events of 1975 when Speaker Emeritus Jimmy Naifeh became a member of the Tennessee House of Representatives.

WHEREAS, the year of 1975 was an historic and special time for this Nation and the State of Tennessee, as the United States was soon to celebrate the nation's Bicentennial; and

WHEREAS, in 1975, Space Mountain opened in Disneyland, Teamsters President Jimmy Hoffa disappeared, the Louisiana Superdome opened, "Saturday Night Live" premiered, and the first link-up between an American and a Soviet space craft occurred; and

WHEREAS, the computer age was born as the first personal computer was introduced, and Bill Gates and Paul Allen founded Microsoft; and

WHEREAS, in 1975 a new house cost \$39,300, a new car was \$4,225, a movie ticket was \$2, a gallon of gas was 44 cents, and a postage stamp was 13 cents; and

WHEREAS, 1975 saw the birth of one of Hollywood's most sought after leading ladies, Angelina Jolie; Elton John was atop the music charts with Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds, and the top movie of the year was *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*; and

WHEREAS, the Cincinnati Reds won perhaps one of the greatest World Series of all time, to become the world champions of Major League Baseball; and

WHEREAS, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives was Carl Albert (D); and

WHEREAS, Representative Karen Camper of Memphis graduated from Southside High School; and

WHEREAS, the year of 1975 saw a number of historic events and activities, but perhaps none so special for the State of Tennessee as the election of Jimmy Naifeh to the Tennessee House of Representatives; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we fondly recall the special and historic events of 1975 when Speaker Emeritus Jimmy Naifeh became a member of the Tennessee House of Representatives.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.